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Invention: VIBRATORY VENOUS AND ARTERIAL OXIMETRY SENSOR

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Please amend the Specification as follows by adding the following text prior to the first paragraph:

-- This invention was made with Government support under Grant Number DAMD17-02-2-2006, awarded by the Army. The Government has certain rights in the invention. --Respectfully submitted,

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Application No.: 10/734,732

Group No.: Not yet assigned Examiner: Not yet assigned

Filed: 12/12/2003

For: Vibratory Venous and Arterial Oximetry Sensor

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is a small entity. A statement was already filed.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.8(a) and 1.10*

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4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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| INDEP. | 3 | | 3 | = | 0 | x | \$ | 43.00 | = | \$ | 0.00 |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM + \$ 0.00 | | | | | | | | | = | \$ | 0.00 |
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No additional fee for claims is required.

FEE DEFICIENCY

5. An additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 19-4972.

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